



### Banpu Continues Its Support for Integrative Learning for the 8<sup>th</sup> Year

8 August 2011, Wiengjedee Wittaya, Li district, Lamphun province —Banpu Public Company Limited provided a financial grant to support integrative learning for students in three Northern provinces, namely Lamphun, Lampang and Phayao. This year, the funds worth approximately THB 2.6 million were contributed to six schools under the “Banpu Education for Sustainability” project in order to reinforce integration of knowledge and skills among students and teachers as well as upgrade the schools to be a sustainable learning center for their surrounding communities.

Over eight years, Banpu has contributed over THB 24 million to support integrative learning in three major areas, which are **improving of schools’ learning facilities and system**, **enhancing teacher competencies** in creating the integrative classroom that helps develop critical thinking among students, and **supporting students’ self-learning**. The continuous support by Banpu has yielded significant development and academic achievement of schools under this project.

In this photo: Mr. Chanin Vongkusolkij, CEO of Banpu Plc. (forth from right), presented the sponsorship to directors from six graded schools (namely, Wiengjedee Wittaya School in Lamphun province, Sobprabpittayakom School, Maetawittaya School and Maetapattanasuksa School in Lampang province, Chiengmuan Wittayakhom School and Bansra School in Phayao province) with the presence of Dr. Panya Keawkeyul, Director of Bureau of Academic Affairs and Educational Standards, Office of the Basic Education Commission (forth from left).

## Additional Photos



Photo 1



Photo 2



Photo 3

Photo 1: At the event, Mr. Chanin Vongkusolkij, CEO of Banpu Plc. (third from right, back row) together with the management also presented 200 scholarships of the 2011 academic year to students from schools and communities surrounding Lamphun, Lampang and Phayao mines.

Photo 2: Mr. Chanin Vongkusolkij, CEO of Banpu Plc. visited schools' booths showcasing their achievement after having received a continuous support from Banpu for eight years.

Photo 3: At the event, there was also the panel discussion titled "Perspectives for New Era of Thai Education" which was joined by Mr. Poonsak Tesniyom, an educationist and advisor of Thai Teachers TV, together with student representatives from Bunyawat Wittayalai School, led by Mr. Pipat Wittayapanyanon, a professional moderator.

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